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BLM Advisory Council to Meet in Las Cruces

The New Mexico Bureau of Land Management Resource Advisory Council will meet in Las Cruces, New Mexico, on June 9-10, 2004.

On June 8, the Council will hold an open forum for members of the public to voice their opinions and concerns on BLM-managed lands. The meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the Hilton Inn Las Cruces, Soledad Room, 705 South Telshor Boulevard.

The Council meeting on June 9-10 begins at 8:00 a.m. on both days at the Hilton Inn Las Cruces, Soledad Room. The meeting is also open to the public. Presentations and discussions will be held on the following topics: rancher monitoring of activities on public lands, development of recommendations for a special status species plan for the Roswell-Carlsbad area, and invasive plant/noxious weed issues.

The 15-member BLM Resource Advisory Council provides advice and recommendations to the BLM on resource and land management issues for 13.4 million acres of public lands in New Mexico.

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